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Applicant: David Aaron Katz *et al.*

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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This Amendment is being submitted in connection with the Office Action mailed on August 5, 2005 in the above-identified application. Also enclosed herewith is a Request for a Continued Examination, a Petition for a Two-Month Extension of Time and the requisite fees. If any additional fees are required as a result of the filing of this paper, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge to Deposit Account No. 23-0785 any such fees. Reconsideration of the application in view of the following amendments and remarks is respectfully requested.